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**ADE Launches New, Upgraded “Calendar of Events” System to Enhance
Arizona’s Professional Learning, Streamline Re-Certification Process**

(Phoenix, Ariz., Aug. 4, 2015) - The Arizona Department of Education (ADE) today unveiled a new and improved event management system that replaces ADE’s long-time “Calendar of Events” registration system.

“The new Calendar of Events features simple navigation and is easily accessible to all education professionals,” said Superintendent of Public Instruction Diane Douglas. “I am very pleased that we are now offering an enhanced system to manage and access ADE events for a more positive experience.”

The new system allows users to select from the full range of ADE professional offerings, including webinars, conferences, trainings/workshops, meetings, and online courses – all in one place. Users will also, for the first time, be able to pay for any type of event using a Visa or MasterCard credit card in addition to standard check or purchase order payment options.

Once users register for an event, they will be provided with login information. This will give them access to a secure and more personalized experience, including a running transcript of all events attended through ADE and the ability to print completion certificates. This improved access to transcripts and completion certificates is expected to greatly simplify and streamline the re-certification process for educators.

To view the new system, please visit ems.azed.gov.

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